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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**Re: New United States Patent Application**  
**Title: DYNAMIC ALLOCATION OF**  
**SHARED NETWORK RESOURCES BETWEEN**  
**CONNECTION-ORIENTED AND CONNECTIONLESS**  
**TRAFFIC**  
**Inventor: ASHWOOD SMITH, Peter J.**  
**Assignee: Nortel Networks Corporation**  
**Our File: 9-13528-94US**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

**INVENTOR: ASHWOOD SMITH, Peter J.**

**TITLE OF THE INVENTION:**

**DYNAMIC ALLOCATION OF SHARED NETWORK  
RESOURCES BETWEEN CONNECTION-ORIENTED AND  
CONNECTIONLESS TRAFFIC**

The following documents are enclosed:

- a) Specification/Claims/Abstract with  
Declaration/Power of Attorney
- b) Assignment in favor of Nortel Networks Corporation  
with Recordation Form PTO-1595
- c) Formal Drawings (2 Sheets - Figs. 1 -2)

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- d) Information Disclosure Statement with PTO Form 1449
- e) Our cheque No. 008637 covering:
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